



Chairperson Vice-Chair

DETROIT BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

Minutes of the Board of Police Commissioners Meeting Tuesday, December 29, 2009

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The meeting of the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners was held on Tuesday, December 29, 2009 at 3:00 p.m. at Police Headquarters, 1300 Beaubien in Detroit, Michigan.

ATTENDANCE

Board Members Present

Ronald L. Griffin (ABS)
Mohamed Okdie (ABS)
Jerome L. Warfield
Toney Stewart (ABS)
Adela Rivera

Department Personnel Present

Cmdr. Todd Bettison
Sgt. Robert Jackson
Sgt. Michael Dailey
P.O. Sophia Nelms

Board Staff Present

Dr. Richard Visingardi, Secretary to the Board (ABS)
Celia Banks-Washington, Attorney/Supervising Inv.
Arnold Sheard, Chief Investigator (ABS)
Dalph Watson, Director of Police Personnel
Lt. Daniel Allen
Ainsley Cromwell, Supervising Inv.
P.O. Kent Cooper

OTHERS PRESENT

Marc Deldin

Edward Moore

RECORDERS

PO Robert Gibson
Robert Brown

1. CALL TO ORDER

Comm. Warfield called the meeting of the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners to order at 3:00 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The Agenda for December 29, 2009 was not presented given the lack of a quorum.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Minutes for December 17, 2009 and December 22, 2009 were not presented given the lack of a quorum.

4. BOPC OFFICER'S REPORT

1. CHAIRPERSON

2. SECRETARY'S REPORT

Atty. Washington stated the Board office and the Office of the Chief Investigators will be closed Wednesday December 30, 2009 and reopen on January 5, 2010.

5. PRESENTATION/REPORT-CHIEF OF POLICE

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Report to the Board of Police Commissioners



Special Points of Interest:

- Next meeting:

Tuesday, December 29, 2009

@ 3:00 P.M.

Detroit Police Department
1300 Beaubien Street #328-A
Detroit, Michigan 48226

“Building a Safer Detroit Through Community Partnerships”

The Detroit Police Department is committed to uphold its mission to provide a safe environment for our residents and businesses. This effort is not possible without the joint commitment of the community and the Police Department. We appreciate and value the role our citizens have played in helping us to take the guns and drugs off the streets of the city of Detroit.

SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS

Domestic Violence

On December 17, 2009, officers of the Southwestern District responded to the 8000 block of Lane on “Family Trouble.” A subject was arrested. As a result of the investigation conducted by members of Domestic Violence, the subject was charged with “Assault with a Dangerous Weapon, Felonious Assault, and Domestic Violence.”

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Engaging the Community

Citizens wishing to make a police report may do so at the District/Precinct stations in the city of Detroit. Citizens may also utilize the following District Mini/Sub-Stations to make reports.

	<u>Location</u>	<u>Hours of Operation</u>	<u>Telephone</u>
	1300 Beaubien	24 Hours	596-5100
	20500 Conant	* 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.	892-5456
	7737 Kercheval	* 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.	628-2121
	19810 Grand River	* 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.	870-0649
	13530 Lesure	8 a.m. to 11 p.m.	596-5300
	2575 S. Schaefer	* 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.	297-9423
	20 Atwater	24 Hours	237-2850
	13206 E. Jefferson	* 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.	821-5851
	22101 Moross (St. John Hospital)	* 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.	343-7506
	14700 Mack	* 3 p.m. to 9 p.m.	852-4046

* Mini-Stations– Monday –Friday

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Police / Community Intervention

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Southwestern District

On December 19, 2009, officers of the Southwestern District responded to the area of Whitcomb and Lyndon to "Investigate a Person with Stolen Property." As a result of their investigation, the subject was arrested and charged with "2nd Degree Home Invasion."



Twelfth Precinct

On December 15, 2009, officers of the Twelfth Precinct responded to the 18000 block of Ohio on a "Breaking & Entering" in progress. Due to their quick response, three subjects were arrested and charged with "Breaking & Entering of a Business." Stolen Property was recovered.



Northeastern District

On December 17, 2009, while patrolling the area of Healy and Stockton, officers of the Northeastern District observed shots being fired from vehicles by unknown subjects. Subsequent to their investigation, two subjects were arrested and charged with "Carrying a Concealed Weapon, Discharging a Firearm, Felony Firearm, and Motor Vehicle Advisory." A weapon was confiscated.



Sixth Precinct

On December 18, 2009, officers of the Sixth Precinct were notified of a "Home Invasion" in the 9000 block of Winthrop. As a result of their quick response, three subjects were arrested and charged with "Home Invasion, Receiving & Concealing Stolen Property/Motor Vehicle, and Motor Vehicle Advisory." The stolen property was recovered.

Cmdr. Bettison stated on behalf of the Chief there will be a press conference in front of the Spirit of Detroit as the Chief will be to suggesting bringing in the New Year with hugs instead of shooting guns.

6. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were no standing committee reports.

7. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

8. OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

9. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday, January 7, 2010
Police Headquarters
1300 Beaubien, Rm. 328-A
Detroit, MI 48226

10. ORAL COMMUNICATION FROM THE AUDIENCE

E. Moore wished everyone a Happy Holiday, Kwanzaa on behalf of Councilman Kenyetta.

11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Richard Visingardi
Interim Secretary to Board
Board of Police Commissioners

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